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THE FARMER'S DAUGHTER.

BY LOUISE S. UPHAM.

The sunlight over the hilltop steals,
And lo! from the open door
The farmer's redcheeked daughter looks
The fields and meadows over:
The sleeves, from her rounded arms turned back,
Just hint that labor waits,
While she exults in joys that break
Through morning's rosy gates.

There's little strength in the lithe young form,
But an ever ready hand
Oft lightens the burdens that must be borne
By the farmer's toiling band;
So the farm-horse waiting in the stall,
The kine in the dewy lane,
And the flocks impatient in the fold,
Own the gentle maiden's reign.

Does she e'er dream of a world outside
Of her simple rural home,
Or of broader walks and smoother paths
That her feet sometimes may roam?
Oh look in the chamber where she works
Each eve till the sun goes down:
You will find that her nimble hand flew fast
O'er the folds of a wedding gown.

Now she watches the east with a throbbing heart,
For her lover will come that way;
And every sunrise hastens the morn
Of her own sweet wedding-day:
And there's never a home more bright than the one
Where a trusting maiden dwells,
Who is waiting the coming of Love's young knight,
And the chime of their wedding-bells.

But what will be done at the dear old farm
When the light of the fireside goes?
When the morn that brightens another home,
O'er this one a shadow throws?
Ah! never will days be quite so fair,
For trouble will more like sorrow seem,
And labor more like care.

SUMMER.

O sweet and strange, what time gay morning steals
Over the misty flats, and gently stirs
Bee-laden lilacs and pendulous abeles,
To brush the dew-bespangled gossamers
From meadow grasses and beneath black firs,
In limpid streamlets, or transluscent lakes!
To bathe rapid dun heron-haunted brakes!

O sweet and sumptuous at height of noon,
Languid to lie on scented summer lawns
Fanned by the breeze's of the breathless June;
To watch the timorous and peeping fawns,
Dapp'ed like tendered clouds in early dawns,
Forth from their ferny covert glide to drink
And cool, in the flints beside the river's bank!

O strange and sad ere daylight disappears
To hear the creaking of the homeward wain,
Drawn by its yoke of tardy pacing steers,
'Neath honeysuckle hedge and tangled lane,
To breathe faint scent of roses on the wane
By cottage doors and watch the mellowing sky
Fade into saffron hues insensibly.

—*John Addington Symonds.*

Select Story.

AT THE BAL MASQUE.

"Don't be rash in this, my dear—don't! What will your friends say—what will the world say—when they hear that Ianthe Howard is going to marry her music master? What do we know of this man? Oh, pause and consider, my darling—my darling."

And gentle, motherly Mrs. Burnham knelt down on the rich carpet, and slipped her pleading arms round the slender figure before her.

"I have considered, Aunt Helen," the girl said, coldly. "You ask me—what do we know of Jean D'Esterre? And I answer—we know he is a gentleman. That is the only knowledge I value. If you will not consent to our marriage now, we shall wait for a year, and then I shall be my own mistress. But dear Aunt Helen," with a sudden softening in the proud voice, "do be my friend in this! You have been so kind to me all my life, and now—

The beautiful, dark face grew strangely pleading.

"Now I am kinder than ever I was," Aunt Helen said—"kinder, because of my great love for you, dear. Harshly kind, perhaps, in my anxiety for your happiness. A girl, young, handsome and an heiress, cannot be too careful in her choice of friends."

"But you know—I love him."

She said the words wistfully, deprecatingly, lifting her lovely, troubled eyes to her aunt's face.

"I know you do not, Ianthe. A girl less than a year out of school—why, you do not know your own mind! Besides, my darling, let me tell you a truth, however, terrible it may sound to you—he does not love you! I must speak plainly. He is only a contemptible fortune hunter, who wants your money."

"Aunt Helen!"

She sprang to her feet like a young tigress, a glow leaping boldly to the pale olive of her cheeks, her eyes aflame.

"My dear, it is true. If the man has it in his nature to care for any one but himself, he loves Elsie Gaudet—Sutherland's niece. Wait till I have finished," as Ianthe lifted her head haughtily to speak. "He met her two years ago, in Paris. She is a co-patriot of his. Think a moment, Ianthe! You must have seen how it was. She introduced him to her relatives as an old Parisian friend—he made the most of his opportunity. He has good looks and a plausible manner, through which, aided by the Sutherland's introduction, he secured an entree to our best houses. He is giving her lessons as well as you. He loves her; but you are an heiress, and his avarice predominates. If he cannot win you, he may succeed with her. Oh, my dear one, try and understand."

For Ianthe Howard stood quite still and motionless, looking before her with blind, unseeing eyes. She lifted one hand confusedly to her head. All the hot flames faded from her cheek.

"I don't believe it," she said slowly, as if too stunned for anger. "I don't believe it."

"My dearest. I have been sudden. Forgive me," her aunt cried, reproachfully, alarmed at the sight of that white wild face.

"No," she said calmly, though her lips were pallid and trembling, "if you can prove to me that one iota of this miserable story is true, I will thank you for my salvation. But (in the same strained voice as though she were repeating a lesson) I don't believe it."

"I shall give you one proof—the other you shall see for yourself. Yesterday I went to visit at Sutherland's. They were not at home, but the servant said Miss Gaudet was practicing in the music room. I went toward it, of course unannounced, expecting to find her alone. The door was ajar, and as I reached it I heard Jean D'Esterre's voice, intense, pleading. 'Tell me how I shall know you?' Then I heard Elsie Gaudet's light laugh. 'If you should meet Parthenia, with a white rose in her hand, how can I tell who it might be?' I knocked, and Elsie sprang to, answer, but not before I heard him whisper: 'Love needs no symbols. Ingomar will know how.' My dear one, it lies with you to do the rest."

"How?" drearily.

"Well, of course you know they alluded to Miss Kent's bal masque on the eighth. Go as Parthenia yourself."

"I?"

"Yes. Will you let me arrange with the costumer? I shall have that dress sent to you—another to her."

The girl started as if she had been shot.

"No," she cried passionately—"no! Listen to confidences not intended for my ear! It would be mean, dishonorable, underhand. No."

"Ianthe, you have a mistaken idea of honor. You may save Elsie's happiness as well as your own. Do not misjudge her. She is a good little thing, and thinks he loves her only. Did she know of the double game he is playing. I am sure she would scorn him, as she should. This man asked you to be his wife. Let him prove himself worthy to be your husband. You should stop at no silly society scruples to tear the mask from that which may bring you misery and dishonor. My dear, if I am mistaken, I will beg your pardon, and his, and give you to him with all my heart; but I love my child too dearly to risk her young life's wreck. Will you be Parthenia?"

"Yes."

At the door, Mrs. Burnham paused and looked back, with eyes growing suspiciously moist and a great throb of compassion at her heart. For in the centre of the room, with bowed head and nervously clasped hands, Ianthe Howard stood, a pitifully, childlike figure, despite her heavy ruby-velvet draperies—a girl standing alone under the shivering, tottering ruins of her love castle.

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"Are the costumes ordered last week finished?"

"Yes, madam."

The proprietress hastily left less profitable customers to attend Mrs. Burnham.

"As I have the carriage and will be passing Miss Gaudet's, I shall drop her's there, if it will be a convenience to you."

Madam was too kind. They were rushed with work. They would be very grateful.

So madam's liveried coachman lifted the two long brown paper boxes into the carriage and rolled it away. It was quite dark when it drew up at the Sutherlands door.

"Just ring and hand this in, John. Make haste—it is late."

She pushed a box toward him. He obeyed her. Then he climbed to his seat; she gave the order, "Home," and the carriage drove off.

Mrs. Burnham laughed a little sadly to herself, and patted the box which held the pretty Parthenia dress.

"Elsie will think it a mistake. How else could I convince her? Besides, all's fair in love and war."

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Parthenia stood alone in the recess of a window and watched the motley crowd surging through Mrs. Kent's lofty rooms.

Hapless Marie Stuart and a "Heathen Chinee," Sir Walter Raleigh and Red Riding Hood, Richelieu and Little Nell floated serenely by.

"Ah, you have come at last!"

Parthenia started suddenly at the whispered words and turned to confront a tall, fur clad Ingomar.

"Have you no word for me," *ma belle?*"

"Yes, but not here."

She spoke very low and in French.

She took his arm and together they passed to a room made familiar to both in their social visits—the library.

The room was long, silent, dimly lit. As yet, it was too early for the dancers to wander off in search of cooler air, so they were undisturbed.

Once there, he turned and faced her in that mellow half-light which left the corners mystically dim.

He took off his mask, and showed a decidedly handsome, decidedly evil face.

"My Parthenia! how beautifully you look."

The expression was involuntary. Beautiful indeed was the statuesque young figure, in that simple, serene, exquisite dress, which challenges the many, adorns the few—the Greek costume.

The soft white robe fell in graceful, classic folds to her feet; the heavy staff she takes when she gives her lover the flowers held carelessly in one hand; the helmet, the shield, all glittering in the dim light.

"Why do you not speak to me Elsie, my love?"

"Keep such a title for Ianthe Howard."

She spoke rapidly, and still in his own tongue, the better to disguise her voice.

"Ianthe Howard," he repeated, "what is she to me? I told you I loved you two years ago. I love you still. Elsie, darling, be sure of that, and do not think too hard of me when you know what an avaricious wretch I am. If only you had her fortune. Take off that jealous mask. You start! Ah, my love, do not blame me too much. Remember, you only hold my heart, if need obliges me to take advantage of Miss Howard's foolish infatuation for me and marry her—bank account."

"Pray, do not so far inconvenience yourself, Mr. D'Esterre. That foolish fancy is dead forever."

And Ianthe Howard calmly laid down her mask on the ebony centre table.

"Great heaven—Ianthe!"

"Yes! Permit me to return the pledge of a false vow."

And, in her proud, silent way, she drew off a sparkling solitaire and laid it quietly down.

"And permit me to say that you have made more than one mistake to-night, Jean D'Esterre."

And from out of a shadowy corner came the bright figure of a vivandiere

Then one man felt the full misery his disloyalty and deceit had brought him, as Ianthe Howard and Elsie Gaudet passed together from the room, united in their triumph over treachery—the woman he had loved for her money, and the woman he had loved for herself.

And to-day, Ianthe knows that her life and love lie sacredly in the hands of an honest gentleman, and thanks God from the depths of her true woman's heart for the happiness that bloomed and blossomed out of her girlhood's sorrow.

It even infects machinery. It has been discovered that a market man's scales will lie about the weight of a fish.

A Fishing Excursion.

"Say, my dear," said Mr. Spoopendyke, with a facial sort of a grin, "how would you like to go fishing?"

"Wouldn't that be perfectly lovely!" squealed Mrs Spoopendyke. "I never was fishing in my life, and I always wanted to try it. Where can we go?"

"Well, there are lots of places around Brooklyn. Last summer I saw boys catch a good many fish off the dock at the foot of State street. We might go there."

"Just the place," conceded Mrs. Spoopendyke. "Perhaps we can catch some sardines. I'll bet a spool of thread I can catch the first shad!" and in her glee, Mrs. Spoopendyke waltzed across the floor and back again.

Mr. Spoopendyke smiled pleasantly on his wife and started out into the yard to get some worms, while Mrs. Spoopendyke rigged herself up for the pending excursion.

"Got any fish sticks?" she asked, as Mr. Spoopendyke returned rather warm from his exercise

"I've got some fishing rods, if that's what you mean," replied Mr. Spoopendyke. "But I could only find four worms."

"Can't we break 'em in two?" inquired Mrs. Spoopendyke, anxiously.

"Could if we had a buzz saw," grunted Mr. Spoopendyke. "Come along if you are coming" and thoroughly equipped for the expedition, Mr. and Mrs. Spoopendyke set out for the State street pier.

"How long before they bite?" asked Mrs. Spoopendyke, hoisting her hook out the water and examining the point of a worm her husband had impaled thereon.

"They'll probably bite at that as soon as they can borrow a step-ladder," retorted Mr. Spoopendyke, eyeing the dangling hook. "If you calculate to get any fish you had better let that thing down into the water."

"Oh!" said Mrs. Spoopendyke, eyeing the dangling hook. "Do you think I could catch a gold-fish?" she inquired after a pause.

"Ha! hold out there, I lost him!" ejaculated Mr. Spoopendyke, firing his hook up toward the Heights

"So did I," chimed Mrs. Spoopendyke, as she fell over backward and shot her sinker into Mr. Spoopendye's ear. "I declare we both lost him."

"What are you doing?" demanded Mr. Spoopendyke. "What did ye lose? When I am pulling in fish you just sit still, will ye! Think my head's a fish pond? Drop it, I tell ye! drop it in the water! There! Now, sit still and fish. Another time I'm pulling in a Spanish mackerel you let things alone. You made me lose that fish."

"You ought to have caught him," said Mrs. Spoopendyke, soothingly, "you fished splendidly for him."

"I understand the business," rejoined Mr. Spoopendyke, somewhat mollified. "You see he didn't even get the bait, big as he was."

"I'm glad of that, because we've only got three worms left. How I'd like to catch an oyster. Do you know I——"

"Hist! Sh-h-h! Quiet now! I've got him! See me play him! Now I'll fetch him!" and Mr. Spoopendyke reeled in until he landed an old boot.

"I didn't know that fish had burrs on, like a chestnut," said Mrs. Spoopendkye, quivering with excitement. "Crack him, and let's see what he is."

"Crack your grandmother!" snorted Mr. Spoopendyke, shieing the boot up the pier. "He wasn't good to eat anyway. I'll get something——"

"What's the matter with my stick? Let go, you nasty thing! Here's another one! Quick!"

"Pull him in, can't ye? You've got a bite. Haul up!" cried Mr. Spoopendyke, trying to untangle himself from his line and help his wife. "Lift him out of the water!"

"He won't let me," squeaked Mrs. Spoopendyke, holding both arms out at full length. "Take him off! Seat! Go 'way you monster!"

"Lift your pole straight up in the air!" shouted Mr. Spoopendyke. Hoist the dod gasted thing right up!"

Mrs Spoopendyke exerted herself, and disclosed an eel dangling.

"It's a rattlesnake!" she yelled. "Don't go near him! fire! murder! police! police-e-e!"

"Hold your yawp, will ye?" bawled Mr. Spoopendyke. Get him over the dock so I can catch him! what are you holding him out there for? Waiting for him to dry? Stick that pole straight up in the air, I tell ye!"

Mrs. Spoopendyke threw the pole over her shoulder, and flopped the eel into Mr. Spoopendyke's countenance.

"Dod gast the measly eel!" he howled as he spit it out. "Stop waving that slam basted lightning-rod like a flag will you? Hold it still, I say! Think you're a tree?"

"Don't touch him! throw him overboard? He'll sting you to death!" gurgled Mrs. Spoopendyke, and forgetting that the pole still exercised an influence over the eel, she gave it a jerk, and it slipped through Mr. Spoopendyke's fingers. That gentleman made a spring for it and swashed into the water.

"Heu! blab! baa! waggle, glu, hic, ga, gaggle!" sputtered Mr. Spoopendyke, as some lightermen fished him out.

"Did you catch cold, dear?" inquired Mrs. Spoopendyke, with solicitude as they made their way home.

"If I did, I landed it," growled Mr. Spoopendyke, blowing mud like the exhaust of a tug.

"Any way, I caught an eel, didn't I!" asked Mrs. Spoopendyke, carrying out the woman's idea of comforting a man with the only thing he don't want to hear about.

"Oh! you caught it!" ripped Mr. Spoopendyke. "You're a fish woman, you are. All you want now is glass sides and some bubbles running through you to be an aquarium! Another time we both go fishing you stay home! You hear?"

And with this novel mathematical suggestion, Mr. Spoopendyke hunted himself to his domicile, and took a rum swest.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

A correspondent of the "American Cultivator," plants a sunflower seed by each hill of beans, the stock answering the same purpose as the ordinary bean pole, besides providing an excellent feed for his poultry. He uses for this purpose a mammoth variety of sunflower seed, many of the flowers of which measure fifteen inches across the seed-bed.

Bridget being told to put a little nutmeg into the rice pudding, picked out the smallest one in the box and threw it in.

How Afghans Fight.

An English correspondent in Asia, referring to the fighting qualities of the Afghan soldiery, says: "An Afghan never thinks of asking for quarter, but fights with the ferocity of a tiger, and clings to life until his eyes glaze and his hands refuse to pull a pistol trigger, or use a knife in a dying effort to maim or kill an enemy. The stern realities of war were more pronounced on the battlefields in Afghanistan than perhaps they have ever been in India, if we except the retributive days of mutiny. To spare a wounded man a minute was probably to cause the death of the next soldier who unsuspiciously walked past him. One thing our men certainly learned in Afghanistan, and that was to keep their wits about them when pursuing an enemy or passing over a hard-won field There might be danger lurking in each seemingly inanimate form studding the ground, and unless care and caution were exercised, the wounded Afghans would steep soul in bliss by killing a kaifer just when life was at its last ebb. The stubborn love for fighting *in extremis* is promoted doubtless by fanataeism, and we saw so much of it that our men at close quarters always drove their bayonets well home, so that there should be no mistake in the deadly nature of the wound. The physical courage which distinguished the untrained mobs who fought so resolutely against us was worthy of all admiration; the tenacity with which men, badly armed and lacking skilled leaders, clung to their positions was remarkable, to say nothing of the sullen doggedness they often showed when retiring. But when the tide of the fight set in against them and they saw further resistance would involve them deeply, there was so sudden a change always apparent that one could scarcely believe the fugitives hurrying over the hills were the same men who had resisted so desperately but a few minutes before. They acted wisely, as they knew their powers in scaling hills, or in making their escape by fleetness of foot, and the host generally dissolved with a rapidity which no one but an eye witness can appreciate. If cavalry overtook them, they turned like wolves and fought with desperation, selling their lives as dearly as men ever sold, but there was no rally in the true sense of the word, and but faint attempts at aiding each other. The regular troops were but little amenable to discipline, by reason of deficient training, and they resorted to the tactics they had pursued as tribesmen when they were once forced to retire."

During a soiree given at the Winter Palace in St. Petersburg in the reign of the Czar Nicholas, some forty years ago, the conversation happened to turn upon luxuriant growths of hair; and a Governor of a distant province remarked that he had frequently noticed, in the chief town of his government, a venerable Jew whose countenance was ad

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THE PRESIDENT'S CONDITION.

Nearly two weeks have elapsed since the wounding of the President, and his improvement during that time has been steady. Several dangerous epochs have arrived and passed and there seems now to be a reasonable hope that he may recover. The wound has discharged pus in a natural manner, there has been no secondary hemorrhage nor peritonitis and there remains now only the danger of blood poisoning. The latest bulletin received here is as follows: pulse 90, temperature 99.8, respiration 22. This is a very gratifying statement as the temperature, which is normal, shows that the fever has entirely disappeared. The pulse is rather too fast, but it is lower than at any time since the shooting. The temperature of the sick room has lowered by artificial means and is now kept at 75 degrees.

If the President lives, he will owe his life to his robust health, vigorous frame and unconquerable good spirits. His courage has never failed him, and he has won admiration and respect by the plucky manner in which he has endured suffering and faced death. Every hour that he lives increases his chances of final recovery. At this writing the outlook is more assuring than at any time since the fateful 2nd of July.

The Clinton *Democrat* says, "Should both Mr. Garfield and Mr. Arthur die, Mr. Harris, of Tennessee, a Democrat, President *pro tem.* of the Senate, would become President of the United States, as fully as though he had been elected to the position, and for the balance of Mr. Garfield's term. The statement of the Philadelphia papers that no President *pro tem.* of the Senate had been elected, is not only erroneous but sheer nonsense. That duty has never been neglected and is no more likely to be than that the people would forget to elect a President." Such a decided utterance ought to settle the question and might, perhaps, if there were any truth in it. The fact is, however, that neither Mr. Harris nor any one else, was chosen President *pro tem.* of the Senate. The *Democrat* is the only paper in the country that has asserted the contrary. That such an important event should have taken place without the knowledge of the official and special reporters, is too improbable for credence.

Mayor King of Philadelphia, prohibited the use of fire crackers, fire arms and fire works on the 4th, and great was the disgust of Young America and dealers in pyrotechnics. It was predicted that the Mayor's order would be disregarded, as had been those of his predecessors in office. The police, however, did their duty and suppressed the explosive patriotism of youth and to-day there is rejoicing over the wisdom of the measure. In 1880 there were no less than twenty four deaths in the city on the 4th, and some eighty accidents of different degrees of gravity. This year there were none. Comment is evidently utterly superfluous.

The chemist of the State Board of Agriculture has been analyzing the various kinds of fertilizers offered for sale in the State. Out of 58 specimens recently tested, only 17 were found to be worth their price. One, costing $15 per ton, was found to be worth just $2.05. This is very discouraging information for those farmers who have expended money for years past, on fertilizers, and they will undoubtedly exercise greater care in future purchases. It would be interesting to know whether the worthlessness of these fertilizers is attributable to the dishonesty of the manufacturers, or to the deterioration of the materials used in manufacture.

Some curiosity exists as to the whereabouts of the first bullet fired at the President by the assassin. The ball is known to have struck the President's coat sleeve, but what became of it afterwards is a mystery. It could not possibly have passed out of the room; and yet, though the walls have been carefully examined, there is no mark of a bullet upon them. It could not be found on the floor nor in the President's clothing. There is a possibility that the ball may have spent its force in the cloth of the coat, and fallen to the floor, where it was seen and carried off by some relic-hunter. No other reasonable explanation seems creditable.

The order from the Adjutant General's office disbanding three regiments and some fourteen companies of the National Guard, has been condemned with the utmost unanimity by press and people. The reduction was made on the score of economy, which, if the true reason, is about the worst misplacing of that public duty, that has been made of late years. The seventh regiment, one of those disbanded, is an excellent organization, far excelling in every way some of those retained in the service. Gov. Hoyt would add to his popularity by recalling this order without loss of time.

The members of the New York Chamber of Commerce have subscribed $250,000 to be presented to Mrs. Garfield, as a token of esteem and sympathy, and as a means of relieving the mind of the President from anxiety with regard to the future of his family. It is contended by some of the leading newspapers that this munificent gift would be eminently proper if the President should die, but that it would be out of place if he recovers. There is force in this argument, which it is probable the President himself will acknowledge if he survives his injuries.

The Erie *Observer* advocates the nomination of Hon. Orange Noble of that city, as the Democratic candidate for State Treasurer, Mr. Noble is a man of ability and integrity, very popular throughout the oil regions and would poll a large vote. There is no doubt that he would make an efficient officer if elected.

The Chief Clerk of the Contract Office of the Post Office Department has addressed a letter to Postmaster General James setting forth that up to July 5, 1881, he had saved $1,200,000 to the government by the cutting down of Star route service. $50,000 has been saved since July 5th.

A severe, though justifiable, punishment to inflict upon the assassin Guiteau, would be to cover the walls of his cell with pictures of himself taken from the Philadelphia papers. Death would soon become a boon, but the miscreant's sufferings for a time would be intense.

The New York *World* says "The Republican factions at Albany have locked ears in a death struggle."

The supplement to the ordinance refunding the city debt of Williamsport in four per cent. ten-forty bonds, striking out the provision which required all the bondholders to consent to the compromise before it could be carried out, and providing for the payment of the State tax on the bonds, has passed both branches of Councils and is now the law.

The lunatic market in Washington is overstocked at present. All the unbalanced intellects of the country within reasonable distance of the capital, or having money enough for the purchase of a railroad ticket, have flocked to that city. These addle-pates have various missions—to kill Blaine, to slaughter Arthur, to supply salve for the Presidential wounds—and it will be vastly assuring to the public mind to know that they are individually and collectively locked up.

The Philadelphia *Times* is distinctly charging Judge Briggs with such an unfair manipulation of the trial of Street and Maher for election frauds, as to defeat the ends of justice and procure the acquittal of the prisoners. If the *Times* is right, and we believe it is, then is Judge Briggs unworthy to hold the office he disgraces. He has became the "abettor of" ballot-box stuffers, and the "approver" of unjust verdicts, the result of his charges to the jury.

Let us see now, how long it will be before the *Times* will be urging the re-election of Judge Briggs, in the interest of a non-partisan judiciary, calling him an honest and capable judge, and begging the Democrats not to put up a candidate against him.

When Commissioner of Pensions Bentley was removed from office and replaced by Mr. Dudley, there was much doubt whether the change would result beneficially. This doubt has now become a certainty. Dudley has shown himself to be a thorough-paced partisan and, just at this critical juncture of public affairs, is on the point of turning out of office numbers of clerks whose politics do not suit him. There has never been a stronger feeling throughout the country against this sort of petty business, and no one but a politician like Dudley would have attempted such a thing in the face of popular disapproval. When President Garfield resumes the reins of government he will add to his popularity by removing Dudley and appointing a different, and a better, kind of man.

Last Tuesday, John A. Griscom ended his fast of forty five days, in Chicago, and publicly partook of food. As a pecuniary venture the fasting proved a failure. There was little interest taken in the voluntary starving—a fact which speaks volumes for the good sense of the people. Griscom's hobby is that much sickness is caused by over-eating, a statement that is undoubtedly true. But in what way moderation in eating, is proved beneficial by starvation for forty five days, is not clear to any one but Mr. Griscom. Such public exhibitions serve no good purpose and ought to be discountenanced. Now that it has been shown that there is no money to be made by fasting, it is quite likely the desire to instruct the people will wane.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY—*Gentlemen:* I have heard a large number of our voters express themselves as opposed to candidates going through the county, detaining them from their work in harvest and hay making. Being one of those seeking the nomination for the office of Register and Recorder, I take this method of asking the Democracy of the County for their support for said office. I ask this because I am the oldest man seeking said office, and because I have always supported the Democratic ticket when nominated. I am a Democrat from principle and not from greed of office. If elected, I will discharge the duties of the office as a public servant should.

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MAKE IT TREASON.

Since the murderous attack of Guiteau upon Mr. Garfield, it has been suggested that the Constitution of the United States be so amended as to make assaults upon the President, whether fatal or not, capital crimes, punishable by death Certain journals, notably the New York *Sun* and Philadelphia *Times* object strongly to such an amendment, and see in it the first step towards imperialism. They are urgent in insisting that the President is not the government and that he is only a citizen chosen to perform certain public duties. It is true that the President is a citizen, but his office makes him something more than an ordinary one. The assassination of no other man in the country would lead to a general disturbance of business, and a shock to the sensibilities of the whole people. Such results as we have seen during the past two weeks, prove beyond dispute that an attempt to kill the Chief Magistrate is deserving of more serious punishment, than an assault upon a citizen of less prominence. This talk of imperialism is bosh. If the American people are so near to abandoning the faith of their fathers, that a law passed for the protection of their chosen Chief Magistrate can achieve that result, it is hardly worth while to endeavor to save the republic. These editors who so frantically protest against royalty pay small compliment to the patriotism of the people. The *Sun* says The true American doctrine that the life of the humbiest citizen is so sacred in contemplation of law that nothing can be more sacred, is not likely to be overthrown while the national love for freedom and equality remains as strong as it is now." Entertaining such a belief, it is odd that the *Sun* can see in the passage of a law providing for the punishment of scoundrels, an advance towards a throne.

The New York *World* recently reproduced an extract from the speech of Mr. Cropper, a member of the English House of Commons, on a bill for regulating capital punishment, in which that gentleman said:

"It seems to me that when the sentence of death is carried into execution we often punish rather for the results of the crime than for the crime itself. We wait, for instance, to see whether the crime was a murder or a savage assault. If the person who has been attacked chances to recover, the offense does not amount to murder, and yet the crime must have been the same on the part of the criminal. In such a case a man ought to be punished for his crime and not for its result."

That reads much more like common sense than all this ornamental twaddle about imperialism. In view of the fact that the life of the President has been attempted twice in sixteen years, the sanctity of the life of a citizen is not so apparent as it might be. If anything ever breaks down a republican form of government in this country, it will the utterances of those papers that are making the word "imperialism" familiar to our people.

TERRIBLE WEATHER.

The heat in Cincinnati on Saturday, Sunday and Monday last, was the most intense ever experienced there. The mercury stood at from 100 to 102 degrees and the number of sunstrokes was immense. Fifty fatal cases were reported on Monday. One undertaker had twenty-five bodies awaiting burial. All public works were stopped and general business, to a great extent, suspended. In Akron, Ohio, the temperature is said to have reached 108 degrees.

There were thirty-eight cases of prostration by the heat in St. Louis, twenty three of which were fatal. Sunday was the hottest day known there for twenty one years. The thermometer at Indianapolis on Sunday indicated 101 degrees and there were three fatal sunstrokes. At Pittsburg the mercury was at 95 degrees. There were eleven fatal sunstrokes and fifteen prostrations. Many cattle were killed by the heat and from one to a dozen carcasses were taken from each train on its arrival.

A terrific storm prevailed in Iowa on Saturday night and great damage was done. At Marshalltown the wagon works and saw mills were almost destroyed; the oil mills, sugar refinery, canning works, wire works, furniture factory, gas works, brewery, elevators, railroad shops and offices, depot buildings, and hotel, were all badly damaged. One railroad bridge was swept away and another disabled. The loss in the city and vicinity will exceed $200,000. The storm was equally severe in other places and several lives were lost.

THE SQUABBLE AT ALBANY.

The faction fight at Albany still continues, the only changes worth mentioning being the withdrawal of Chauncey M. Depew, and the selection of Warner Miller and E. G. Lapham as candidates by the anti-Conkling Republicans. The latter is a lawyer of no great brilliancy and not half big enough to fill the office of United States Senator. Mr. Miller is well known to the newspaper fraternity as the man who, when member of Congress, succeeded in having the duty on wood pulp retained, because he was the owner of a mill. The New York *Times* and *Evening Post* are having a disagreeable time, in supporting him, as both papers scored him savagely a year or so ago, on account of his wood pulp advocacy. On April 3rd 1880, the *Post* said, "he has presented the disgraceful spectacle of a member of Congress before the committee of Ways and Means endeavoring, by specious arguments and false statements, to further his own pecuniary interest and to pocket more dollars belonging to the public in addition to the stock of dollars of which the public has already been virtually robbed."

The *Times* remarked on the 23rd of March, 1880, that "the member from the Twenty-second New York District has at least placed himself in that lowest of all categories—a reformer whose professions of virtue have yielded to the first temptation."

As may be imagined, the support of such candidates is up-hill work, and even those people who are bitterly opposed to Conkling and Platt look askant at the men proposed for their successors. Meanwhile the people of New York are paying $2000 or $3000 a day, to gratify Mr. Conkling's obstinate vanity. Isn't it about time for the unhappy tax payers of the State to serve a notice to quit on their wretched political servants?

THE ASSASSINATION.

PRESS OPINIONS.

N. Y. World.—For that blow was struck, not by the wretched assassin who now awaits the just punishment of his crime, but by the people of the United States themselves! Who has made such a crime as that of Guiteau possible in such a country as this? * * * * * The people of the United States have suffered the public service gradually to become a great political bonanza, abandoned by common consent to be the prize of the greediest, the least scrupulous, the least honorable of the community. Twice within ten years they have permitted the President to be thrown for with loaded dice. Whom, then, but themselves can they righteously hold accountable if the person of the American Executive has ceased to be more sacred in the eyes of a vulgar and brutal seeker after place and pay than is the Executive office itself in the eyes of the myraids of respectable and prosperous citizens who have abandoned politics to the "machine?"

N. Y. Tribune.—"It does not appear that the assassin of yesterday had ever been thought a lunatic, by any associate or acquaintance, until the deadly shots were fired. Was he 'crazed by political excitement,' then, as many say? At what point, if ever, did the madness of faction become the madness of irresponsibility? Do the leaders of faction ever intend all the mischief which grows from the wild and desperate spirit which they create, feed, and stimulate, week after week? This assassin, it seems, was not ignorant that he was trying to kill one President to make another. His language and letters prove that he knew what he was doing only too well. As 'a Stalwart of the Stalwarts,' his passion was intense enough to do the thing which other reckless men had wished were done.

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"Never again will any sane man cry "I am a Stalwart of the Stalwarts!"

Philadelphia Press.—This awful deed may be the extreme and exceptional outcome of the factious spirit, but not the prompting even of faction. Apart from illustrating the possible effect of intense political passion, it has no political significance. To suggest that it had any other origin than the disordered brain of the assassin himself is something too horrid to be tolerated. We hear men in the passionate bitterness of the hour whisper conspiracy, and in some cases the intense feeling has pointed to individual responsibility. All such expressions should be discountenanced and rebuked. Our country has not yet sunk to that degradation. Our politics, bitter and unlicensed as it is, has not fallen to that horrible depth.

Phila Times.—It will not do to dismiss the desperate act of Guiteau as no more than the freak of a mad man. Of course no sane American regards his deed with anything but horror, and even the miscreants who might have profited by its results would shrink from the very thought of having given it encouragement; but none the less is Guiteau the product of that long series of desperate political crimes that, threatening the very life of free government, are far more to be feared than the crime that only seeks the life of one man, however exalted his station.

New York Times, (*Rep.*)—It is not too much to say, in the first place, that if Mr. Garfield had not been the chief of a service in which offices are held out as prizes to men of much the same merit and much the same career as this murderer he would not have been exposed to this attack.

Springfield Republican.—The assassination of President Garfield by a disappointed office-seeker is the consummation of the spoils system.

A Very Hopeful View.

The editor of the Wilkes-Barre *Union Leader* while at Lewisburg recently, attending the commencement exercises of the University, met Hon. A. H. Dill, Chairman of the Democratic State Committee. He found the genial ex-Senator in the best of spirits, and when the opportunity offered, he talked with him about the political situation, and obtained his views which will be found of interest.

"Mr. Dill, about what time do you expect to call the State Convention?" was asked.

"I have heard no general expression of opinion as to fixing a time for holding the State Convention. I intend calling the committee together in a short time to fix the date. My own opinion is that it will be impossible to attract the attention of the people to the canvass until we are nearer to the day of election."

"What, in your opinion, are the chances for electing a Democrat for Treasurer this year?

"In the present condition of the Republican organization in the State the nomination of a Democrat of known integrity and capacity for business would probably result in his election."

"What are your views as to the general political outlook?

"As to the general political situation, the views of a Democrat are likely to be colored by his hopes and the wish be father to the thought, but it is apparent that a mortal quarrel is raging between the old leaders of the Republican party of so great significance as to almost equally divide the party, and which threatens to destroy its long continued rule. If the present dispute simply involved the putting up of one man, and the putting down of another, the result might be simply a change of leadership, but the times are ripe for change, and the people are restive under the present condition of public affairs. There is a resemblance to the political situation when Douglass broke with his party. The question is different but not the less interesting and vital to the whole body of the people. Conkling breaks with his party when the people are becoming justly alarmed at the consolidation of political and corporate power in the hands of the few. It may be that mere personal considerations induced the step, but he is sagacious enough to know that the battle will not end with his defeat at Albany. Sincere or not he has struck the key note of the next great political issue—the power of the people against consolidated political and corporate power.

It is this condition of public affairs which should give success to the Democratic party. It was organized to assert the power and dignity of the individual citizen against combined corporate and political power. The aggregation of power, political and corporate, which has culminated in the union of the political dictator with the corporate millionaire, has been accomplished only by the continued and successive defeats of the Democratic party. Let the party assert its fundamental doctrines, strongly and manfully, that the people may believe its declaration is not merely profession, but the evidence of a sincere purpose to be accomplished in the exercise of political power, and the result ought not to be doubtful."

"But the president and his party declare themselves to be reformers?"

"The present administration, it is true, is sometimes called a reform administration by its friends, and Garfield a reform President, but the names are nothing. The antecedents of the President are not assuring in this respect, and the proceeding in the Treasury investigation which is stopped when it seemed to be reaching those in high places, the rumored check given the Star Route investigation imputed directly to the highest official influence, and the developments of bribery and corruption at Albany, show that all professions of reform from that quarter are the mere hollow protestations of politicians."

"Then you think the future looks bright for the Democratic party."

"If the party be equal to her opportunity, it can make a live issue, which needs only to be formulated and discussed to gain the ear and the vote of the people. If our party fail to do it, it will be done nevertheless by some other party or some new organization of old parties, as the reaction has already begun against the manifest tendency of the times towards the centralization of political, corporate and moneyed power."

More Legislation.

The following bills passed by the last legislature have received the approval of the governor:

Relating to life and fire insurance policies.

That all life and fire insurance policies upon the lives or property of persons within this commonwealth, whether issued by companies organized under the laws of this state or by foreign companies doing business therein, which contain any reference to the application of the insured or the constitution, by-laws or other rules of the company, either as forming part of the policy or contract between the parties thereto, or having any bearing on said contract, shall contain or have attached to said policies correct copies of the application as signed by the applicant and the by-laws referred to, and unless so attached and accompanying the policy, no such application, constitution or by-laws shall be received in evidence in any controversy between the parties to or interested in the said policy, nor shall such application or by-laws be considered a part of the policy or contract between such parties. Approved May 11, 1881.

HENRY M. HOYT.

To prohibit the defacing of walls, fences and trees by painting, posting or otherwise, and providing a penalty therefor.

That if any person or persons shall, without the consent of the owner or owners thereof, willfully daub, paint advertisements or post placards upon, or otherwise deface the walls of any building or buildings, house or houses, or the fences around the yard or yards connected therewith, or any fences surrounding or enclosing any vacant lot or lots, farm or farms, or shall cause the same to be done by others, or if any person or persons shall without the consent of the owner or owners thereof, daub, paint advertisements or post placards upon, or otherwise deface any tree or trees, or shall cause the same to be done by others, such offender or offenders shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars, and undergo an imprisonment not exceeding thirty days, or both, or either, at the discretion of the court. Approved the 8th day of June, A. D. 1881.

HENRY M. HOYT.

Providing for taxing owners and harborers of dogs in cities of the commonwealth, and for the destroying of dogs.

Section 1—That every citizen of the commonwealth shall have power to pass ordinances taxing the owners and harborers of dogs, and providing for the destroying of all dogs found at large contrary to any ordinance.

Section 2—All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act be, and the same are hereby repealed. Approved the 10th day of June, 1881. HENRY M. HOYT.

News Items.

Johnstown is much alarmed over the spread of small-pox in its midst, and immediate steps are to be taken toward stopping the contagion.

On Sunday morning last, burglars entered the residence of D. M. Peck, in Williamsport, and stole $75 from his clothes. They next visited the house of W. L. Eastbrook where they secured jewelry, money and notes amounting to $675.

A frightful accident occurred at Rangely, Me., on Wednesday, during the raising of the frame of a meeting house. The roof was being put on when the big timbers and rafters fell in, precipitating fifteen men to the ground floor. Ten men were more or less severely injured. A special train was sent to Farmington after physicians.

Write to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for names of ladies that have been restored to perfect health by the use of her Vegetable Compound. It is a positive cure for the most stubborn cases of female weakness.

LYONS, Ohio, July 11.—Postmaster Carman, while watching for burglars during the night, shot and killed his only son Elmer, who was fourteen years old.

The objections to the metal tip upon children's shoes do not hold good against the A. S. T. Co. beautiful Black Tip, and it is time parents were enquiring for them, for fine shoes as well as common, as they reduce shoe bills one half.

OMAHA, July 11.—Ex-United States Senator Hitchcock died Sunday, aged forty-nine. He was a classmate of President Garfield.

[Harrisburg, (Pa.) Independent.]

For five years, says Mr. J. Echter, this city, I have been afflicted with rheumatism, and for two years have had a sore on my leg the size of a silver dollar, which nothing would heal. St. Jacobs Oil cured the rheumatism and healed the sore.

A Pittsburg dispatch says that small pox is increasing in that city. There are 167 cases on the health records. Three deaths occurred on Saturday, and there were eleven new cases reported on that day.

"Forced by my political connections into public life, my sufferings were intensified by the comments of those who saw my face and head covered with scrofulous humor," said a gentleman recently cured by Cuticura Remedies.

The governor of Ohio has received already responses from twenty states, including New York, approving the idea of a general thanksgiving for the recovery of the President.

RIVERTON, Iowa, July 12.—Davis and Sexton's bank was boldly robbed of about $4,000 late yesterday by two men, who jumped over the counter and secured the money while Sexton was at the safe getting change for a bill presented by one of the robbers. They mounted horses and rode away, inviting the crowd to follow them. They have not yet been captured.

IMPORTANT TO TRAVELERS.—Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington Route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue. March 18 40-w

Candidates

[All persons whose names are announced in this column, are pledged to abide by the decision of the Democratic Convention, which will meet on Tuesday August 9th.]

REGISTER AND RECORDER.

We are authorized to announce the name of WILLIAMSON R. JACOBY of Benton township, as a candidate for the office of Register and Recorder, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

COUNTY TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. M. TEWKSBURY, as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the rules of the Democratic party. He will not travel to solicit votes.

REGISTER AND RECORDER.

We are authorized to announce the name of A. B. HERRING, of Orange township, as a candidate for the office of Register and Recorder, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

REGISTER AND RECORDER.

We are authorized to announce the name of G. W. STEENER of Bloomsburg, as a candidate for the office of Register and Recorder, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

FOR PROTHONOTARY.

We are authorized to announce the name of WILLIAM KRICKBAUM, of Bloomsburg, as a candidate for re-nomination for the office of prothonotary and clerk of the several courts, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce the name of JAMES LAKE, of Scott township, as a candidate for the office of Associate Judge, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce the name of F. L. SHUMAN, of Catawissa, as a candidate for Associate Judge, subject to Democratic rules.

COUNTY TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of NATHAN CREASY, as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of STEPHEN POHE, of centre township, as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

COUNTY TREASURER.

NATHAN MILLER, of Main township, authorizes us to announce his name as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of WILLIAM S. FISHER, of Main township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce the name of ISAAC K. KRICKBAUM, of Benton township, as a candidate for the office of Associate Judge, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce the name of JAMES PAUL FREY, of Beaver township, as a candidate for Associate Judge, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

REGISTER AND RECORDER.

MICHAEL F. EYERLY, of Bloomsburg, authorizes us to announce his name as a candidate for the office of Register and Recorder, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of CHARLES REICHART, of Main township, as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention

COUNTY TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of JAMES KIKER, of Main township, as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

COUNTY TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of A. N. JOHNSON, of Locust township, as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of B. F. EDGAR, of Fishingcreek township, as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF LYDIA DODSON, DECEASED.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to make distribution of the balance of the estate of Lydia W. Dodson, deceased, as shown by the account of John McAnall, Administrator of said deceased, as filed by F. S. Hunt, Administrator of said John McAnall, deceased, will meet parties interested for the purpose of his appointment, on Monday, August 15th, A. D. 1881, at two o'clock p. m., at his office in the Jackson building, Berwick, Pa., when and where all parties interested are to make and prove their claims or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

A. K. OSWALD,
July 15-4w Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF PETER ENT, DECEASED.

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the adm'r. to and among the parties legally entitled to receive the same will meet the parties interested in said estate at his office in the Town of Bloomsburg in said county, on Saturday, the 30th day of August, 1881, at ten o'clock a. m., of said day, when and where all parties interested in said estate must attend or be forever debarred from any share of said fund.

B. F. ZARR,
July 15-4w Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JONAS HARTZEL, DECEASED.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Jonas Hartzel, late of Mifflin township, Columbia county, Penna, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to John Hartzel and Michael M. Hartzel administrators. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrators without delay.

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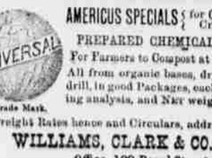

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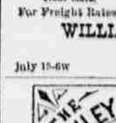

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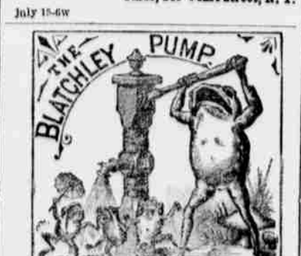

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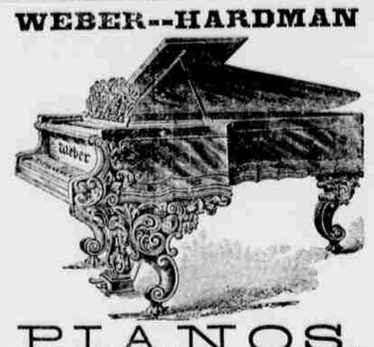
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THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, FRIDAY, JULY, 15 1881

PUBLIC SALES.

A bycicle club is contemplated in Danville.

Work has been resumed at Neal & Son's furnace.

A case of small pox is reported at Sunbury, and much alarm is felt by the citizens.

Saltzer has an immense stock of musical instruments and sewing machines. Go and see them.

Mrs E. R. Ikeler and children have gone to William Cole's, Sugarloaf township, to pass a couple of weeks.

There will be a festival in the grove at the St. James church, Orangeville, Saturday afternoon and evening.

C. A. Klein has recently made some decided improvements to his drug store by enlarging the room, painting, &c.

Freas Brown has removed his insurance office from the store of Lutz & Sloan to Moyer Brother's building, second floor.

The case is reported of an Ohio boy who has a worm traveling about just under his skin. Why not provide the youth with an "early bird," at once?

There is a break in the canal above the Danville lock and the water has been let out of that level. A large breach was made in the towpath which it will take several weeks to repair.

The boy William Bowers who was so badly burned, died on Thursday night of last week. This is only one more warning to those who indulge in the practice of kindling fires with coal oil.

The Daily *Sun* and its weekly reprint exhibited great enterprise in their elaborate account of the Fourth of July proceedings. Their full report reads as follows: "No accident of note occurred on Monday."

That excellent paper, the West Chester *Jeffersonian*, has entered upon its fortieth volume. It contains a large amount of the best reading, political and miscellaneous, and is ably and vigorously edited.

Willie, son of W. H. Gilmore, had one of his thumbs wounded by the discharge of a small pistol, last Friday. Accidents of this kind will occur just so long as children are permitted to handle dangerous weapons.

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If you contemplate a western trip, consult R. D. Darlington, at the Philadelphia & Reading depot, Rupert, before purchasing tickets. He will give you all the needed information, and sell you tickets over the best routes at the lowest figures.

Mrs. B. F. Hicks died of small pox on Sunday morning and was buried at night. She had long been a sufferer from consumption and her constitution was too much enfeebled to withstand the attack of another disease. Her death is the second caused by small pox.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new building at the Danville Hospital for the Insane. Iron joists will be used on the first floor of the corridor in the South wing and wooden joists on the second floor. All possible means will be taken to render the buildings fire proof.

A large crack was found in the reservoir of the Water Company last week on drawing off the water. It is supposed that it was made at the time of the breaking of the embankment, as there has been a loss of water ever since then. It is now repaired, and it is hoped no further difficulty will occur.

Mr. C. R. Woodin is lying very ill at Binghamton, N. Y. After taking supper on Tuesday evening he retired to his room, and while in conversation fell from his chair insensible. He was doing better at last accounts, and has our heartiest wishes for a speedy recovery.—*Berwick Independent.*

Samuel Bogert, of New Columbus, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. I. P. Long, in Wilkes-Barre, last Saturday morning, aged sixty-seven years. He leaves a widow and nine children, all of whom were present at his death. One of his sons is Mr. J. K. Bogert, editor of the *Union-Leader.*

It will please the rising generation to know that, barring accidents, there will be a big crop of chestnuts this year. At the proper time physicians will look up their lint, splints and bandages and be ready for the setting of broken limbs. Boys will be boys, and a fracture of arm or leg is one of the things that youth is heir to.

The horse attached to Buckalew Bros.' baggage wagon became frightened on Monday morning in the alley at the Exchange Hotel, and tore loose from the wagon at the first plunge. It ran down Main Street to Kleim's drug store where it was caught by C. A. Kleim. One of the wagon thills was broken, but no further damage done.

Teachers and others who wish to attend the meeting of the State Teachers' Association to be held at Washington, on the 26th inst., can procure orders for excursion tickets over the the Northern Central and Pennsylvania railroads by applying to J. F. Sickel, ticket agent, Germantown, Penn'a. A postage stamp should be enclosed.

At a meeting of the Winona Fire Company held on Monday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Geo. E. Elwell; Vice President, B. P. Vannatta; Recording Secretary, Paul E. Wirt; Financial Secretary. F. D. Dentler; Treasurer, W. B. Poust; Foreman, L. S. Wintersteen; First Assistant, J. F. Peacock; Second Assistant, C. B. Robbins; Trustees, A. A. Clark, L. Alexander and S. F. Peacock; Pipemen, C. Woodhouse, E. B. Clark, W. C. Sloan and J. Palmer.

What is known as the New York *Sun* cholera cure, is something that should be kept in every household in the land. If used at an early stage of any attack of cholera morbus, the cure is almost infallible. In every household where there are children this remedy should be kept on hand. Following is the recipe: "Take equal parts of tincture of cayenne pepper, tincture of opium, tincture of rhubarb, essence of peppermint and spirits of camphor. Mix well. Dose, 16 to 30 drops in a little cold water, according to age and violence of symptoms, repeated every fifteen or twenty minutes until relief is obtained."

Under the Act of Assembly which became a law on the 8th of June last, every person who practices medicine or surgery must present to the prothonotary of the county in which he resides, his diploma for record, and the prothonotary must then enter his name, place of birth, residence, etc., on the record, and place a copy of the diploma on file in the office for public inspection. Provision is made for cases where diplomas have been lost. Where a person has been continually practising for ten years, although not a graduate of a medical college, a diploma is not required.

A number of the stockholders of the Muncy Creek railroad in order to get a railroad into Sullivan county, are endeavoring to organize a company and procure a charter for a new railroad, to be called the Lycoming, Sullivan and Bradford railroad Company. In this project it is proposed to use the bed of the Muncy Creek road, that being the one terminus, and the other terminus ultimately to reach Bradford county. It will have the indorsement and support of several prominent railroad magnates.

As a matter of precaution the Board of Health recommended that no services be held in any of the churches last Sunday, which recommendation was complied with. It was deemed advisable to avoid all gatherings of people, as many persons have been very imprudent in exposing themselves unnecessarily to small pox. A strict quarantine is kept up, and it is believed that all danger from a further spread of the disease has passed.

[Communicated.]

E. M. Tewksbury, the candidate for County Treasurer, who refuses to travel for votes, informs us that from letters and otherwise word received, he feels flattered in his expectations of a nomination. Mr. Tewksbury proposes to subject himself to the rules of the Democratic party of this county. Can not a *competent* man be nominated who will not travel for votes?

In Wilkes-Barre, on the Fourth, Reese Lyshon, first sergeant of the Wyoming Artillerists was thrown from his horse, and fractured his skull. He lived but a few hours. Lyshon's horse was frightened by fire crackers. Catharine Thomas, a girl of sixteen, was drowned in the Susquehanna, by the upsetting of a boat. Although there were numbers of men and boys on the bank at the time, and the boat was near the shore, the girl perished. Her companions were saved.

If Republicans through the county who depend on home papers for their news, want to know what is going on in the world they should take the COLUMBIAN. Last week the *Republican* contained a little over one half a column about the attempt to assassinate the President, while the COLUMBIAN printed two columns and a half. And yet we are accused of being "jealous" of their "enterprise." The most powerful microscope has failed to discover any such thing as enterprise in connection with that paper.

[Nashville Daily News.]

TERRIBLE.

Such is the term Mr. C. W. Purcell, of the National Stock Yards, Chicago, Ill., applies to his sufferings. He says: I, for one, wish to speak a word of praise for St. Jacobs Oil. I suffered with a pain in my shoulder and arm for some six months and at times it was terrible. One bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, however, cured me thoroughly.

It is said that a certain resident of this town, who is engaged in purchasing and shipping country produce, has reported in different parts of the county that the prevalence of small pox here is general, putting the number of cases as high as fifty. As the report is utterly and wilfully false, we hope the country people will pay no attention to it. His object undoubtedly is to keep farmers at home with their produce, so that he can travel around and buy it up at low figures. If we can get hold of any well authenticated cases of such false reports we shall take pleasure in publishing names.

Preparations for the show season of 1881-2 are almost complete, so far as the organization of companies for travel is concerned. The *Clipper* gives a list of 186, and says there more still. An examination shows that eight of these will appear in classical plays, only one in grand opera, and ten in concerts. Comic opera will be performed by twenty-one, musical burlesques by nine, pantomimes by four, minstrels by seventeen and varieties by nine. Of the rest, forty-one are formed to support stars of more or less effulgence, and thirty-nine are to present plays which have had metropolitan success.

Some years ago lead was discovered, or reported to be, at Afton and a mine was opened. No great results were obtained, and the venture was abandoned, mainly for want of funds with which to carry on the work. Recently Mr. A. P. Wetherill and others have determined to resume work and men have been here this week, to make arrangements for beginning operations. It is claimed by the parties interested that other valuable metals, beside lead, are to be found in the mine, and that they exist in paying quantities. Just when the enterprise is to be commenced is not known.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

Thursday morning ten o'clock.

No new cases of small pox.

Four requiring medical attendance. The one (James Lennon) most serious. Much better this morning.

The admonition given by our board in regard to cleaning up, we are glad to report, is being heeded. We observe, in passing around, many lots and yards in a very much improved condition.

I. W. HARTMAN,
Chairman Board of Health.

There were two murders committed on the Fourth, at points not distant from this place. During a quarrel, at Portland, near Scranton, Joseph Mann, conductor on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad, was stabbed to death by his brother-in-law, Stewart Garrison, who escaped. At Locust Dale, Robert Benine and John Lennon, who were connected with the Baschee murder at that place several years ago, and for which Lennon was discharged on the Saturday previous from a five years' term in the penitentiary, got into an altercation about the murder, when Benine drew a revolver and fatally wounded Thomas Bennon, an uninterested party.

As small pox is still reported bad at Bloomsburg and Wilkes-Barre, the authorities of Williamsport should be on the look-out for fear it may be imported here. A case was reported at Sunbury yesterday, and four or five deaths occurred at Bloomsburg within the last day or two.—*Williamsport Gazette & Bulletin.*

The statement is untrue. Only two deaths have occurred in this place, since small pox made its appearance. At present there is but one severe case, and the disease is dying out. There is altogether too much exaggeration of our misfortune.

On Monday last, constable Harris, of this town, went to Eyer's Grove and there arrested a young man named Franklin P. Taylor, who was charged with embezzlement. Taylor had been employed by Mr. Clark Callender, at his mill near Cambria, and took advantage of the opportunity afforded to appropriate some $300 of Callendar's money. The constable brought his prisoner here and then took him to Wilkes-Barre and lodged him in jail. Taylor's record is by no means clear, but he had led a proper life, apparently, of late. He has succeeded in getting himself into a deplorable situation and will have occasion to regret his action.

Dealers in counterfeit coin have been doing a thriving business in some parts of this State, according to our exchanges. The money was put out in such a way that it fell principally into the hands of hucksters and farmers, and persons who least suspect fraud. The counterfeit coins looked at with a casual eye would at once be taken for genuine. It is only on a close inspection and by comparison with a real half dollar that the difference is detected. The metal out of which they are made is said to be brass washed with silver, a statement which the simple scratch of a penknife blade appears to verify, for as soon as soon as the surface is broken there is the appearance of an under surface of gilt similar to brass.

The Market Street store of Moyer Bros., has been closed and both the drug and express business transferred to their new and handsome establishment on Main Street. This fact should be borne in mind by their numerous customers, who will find at the new location every convenience and facility for the prompt and satisfactory transaction of business. june 24 4-w

On Monday night, Samuel Van Horn, a canal boatman, walked from Espy to Bloomsburg, and spent the night at the residence of a relative near the canal. The next morning it was found that he had the small pox. He went at once to the house of his mother, where his brother had been sick with the same disease, and still remains there. The physician in attendance pronounces the case a light one, needing good nursing more than medical attendance. Van Horn states that his companion on the boat was broken out as badly as himself. The boat is at Espy. If boatmen get the small pox in towns up the river, and continue to ply their avocation on the canal, it will be necessary to adopt vigorous measures to prevent the spread of the disease in towns along the canal; which will inevitably follow if they are permitted to wander where they choose until absolutely stricken down. Our Board of Health should give this matter immediate attention and adopt such rules as will protect the people from importation of small pox.

Meetings of the base ball club were held on Thursday and Friday evenings of last week, to arrange for the payment of bills and to provide means for procuring money to meet the expenses of the club. No definite plans were made, as there was only a small number present on each occasion. It is proper just at this time, to speak a few plain words as regards the future of the club. It is impossible for this, or any similar organization, to succeed, unless the citizens of the town take an interest in its affairs and render substantial aid. Unless there is sufficient money on hand at all times to defray the ordinary expenses, such as the purchase of bats and balls, entertainment of visiting nines, &c., the playing members will become discouraged and eventually the club will break up. We have excellent material from which to make a nine, and there is no reason why Bloomsburg should not have a strong team, if the people will show a willingness to support them. Will they do so?

Our celestial friend, the comet, has had a row with himself, and split into two parts. One of these has carried off the tail, and the other portion is drifting off into space in a worse condition than Bopeep's sheep. Whether this separation is final or whether the disaffected parts can ever be brought together, is one of those things no astronomer can find out. Biela's comet, in 1845, met with a like accident, and at the time of its disappearance the two portions were 200 000 miles apart. When the twins re appeared, seven years after, the distance had increased to 1,500 000 miles. Since that time the comet—or two half comets—has not been seen. It is quite probable that the accident of 1845 may be repeated in 1881. It's a pity, for this late visitor was a fine, healthy meteor and would have been heavily welcomed back intact, but will, presumably, be in a dilapidated and uninteresting condition when again in view.

Among the orders issued by the Sanitary Committee of Council, in Wilkes-Barre, is the following, which ought to be added to the Town Ordinance recently promulgated here. Had the provisions of this order been enforced at the breaking out of the disease in Bloomsburg, it could have been confined to the house in which it originated.

Any and all persons residing in any house in this city where there is a case of small pox, are hereby forbidden to leave such house until all danger of transferring said disease is over; any persons failing to comply with this order will be forthwith arrested, and punished to the full extent of the law.

Any persons removing a small pox sign or visiting any house of those above referred to, except by permission of the physician, will be dealt with in like manner.

Communications through the physician to the Chief of Police or Chairman of the Sanitary Committee can be made when necessary.

A TRUE STATEMENT.

The exaggerated reports of small pox in Bloomsburg are surprising and exasperating. A conductor on the L. & B. R. R. is said to have announced in Kingston that there were eighteen new cases here, whereas there were none. The people in the county have formed a most erroneous opinion as to the virulence and spreading of the disease. The very few cases are all in the lower part of the town, none north of Fifth street nor west of Iron street. There are only four cases receiving medical treatment, the others being out of danger. Thus far there have been but two deaths. Surely a panic never originated from a smaller cause. There have been a dozen or so cases in all, and the greater part of these were of a mild type. With the precautionary measures now in force, there is not the slightest reason to appreh end anything like an epidemic. Possibly residents of infected houses, or some who have been greatly exposed, may yet fall sick, but such events are to be expected. All these will be compelled to remain in doors under direction of a physician, and thus the danger of conferring the disease upon others will be absolutely prevented. There is no justification for a panic

SUN SPOTS.

A remarkable sun spot, which, with slight telescopic aid, is resolved into a congeries of spots of all shapes and sizes, is now visible not far from the sun's equator. The easiest and safest way to view it, where exact definition of details is not required, is to throw the image of the sun from the eyepiece of the telescope upon the ceiling of a darkened room by means of a prism, or upon a white screen placed back of the eyepiece. In the latter case no prism is needed, and a good glass will suffice to show the spot if well steadied. When the great spot is thrown upon the ceiling its slow, forward motion and the trailing strings of small spots and faculæ surrounding it make it resemble a gigantic insect, with legs and antennæ of outlandish proportions. Under close telescopic scrutiny with high powers, its structure is so complex as almost to defy sketching. The tremendous energy of the forces at work may be appreciated when it is stated that the area of disturbance exhibited is some 800,000 miles long by 20,000 broad. Besides, what is seen by direct view is only a portion of the phenomenon. The great chasms that look like dark spots are nobody knows how many miles deep, and above the sun's apparent surface the disturbance extends through gaseous matter to equally enormous distances.

Marriages.

RICHARD—OWEN.—In Mainville on July 3rd, by J. D. Bodine, Esq., Mr. Marion A. Richard, of Mainville, to Miss Emma Owen, of Espy; all of Columbia county, Pa.

DOTY—SHOEMAKER—On the 2nd inst., at the Reformed parsonage in Orangeville, Mr. Edward A. Doty to Miss Myra E. Shoemaker, all of Iola, Columbia county.

RUDY—KISNER—On the 5th of July, at James Kisner's (the bride's father,) Mr. Peter Rudy of Danville, Pa. to Miss Hannah Kisner, of Jerseytown, Columbia county, Pa.

ADAMS—HERNER.—On Saturday, July 2nd at the residence of ex-county commissioner, John Herner, in Roaringcreek, by the Rev. L. R. Kramer, Mr. Emanuel Adams to Miss Mary E. Herner, all of Roaringcreek.

Deaths.

McCARTY.—In Mt. Pleasant township on the 7th inst., Mrs. Elizabeth McCarty, aged 87 years 6 months and 12 days.

PERSONAL.

Willie Rishton is visiting in Luzerne county.

Mrs. C. Unangst, of New York, is visiting her parents.

Miss Hattie McKelvey is spending a few weeks in Harrisburg.

Lloyd Appleman, Esq., of Easton, is spending the summer here at his father's.

Mrs. Slenker and daughter of New Berlin returned home last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Funston have returned from their visit to the West

The families of L. N., J. L., and W. S. Moyer are rusticating in Orange township.

Mrs. C. W. Neal and Mrs. R. C. Neal with their children, are visiting near Philadelphia.

Grant Herring, of this town, and J. P. Welsh, of Orange, students at Lafayette College, are spending the summer vacation at their homes.

Peter Collins and family have removed to Shickshinny. Mr. Collins is one of the railroad contractors and has gone up the river to be nearer the work.

Brower Brugler, who has been attending the Normal School during the past year, returned to his home in Missouri on Tuesday. He expects to return in the fall.

Miss Della Carver, daughter of Prof. Henry Carver, formerly of this town, was married in North Denver, Colorado, on the 7th inst., to Mr. Charles A. Barnes. The ceremony took place at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. H. G. Wolf.

Are you going to paint? If so, send to Henry S. Reav, Montour Paint Works, Ruperi, Pa., for sample card and prices of Strictly Pure White Lead. Slate Colors, Iron Paints, Putty &c., and save the wholesale and retail profit. You can mix your own colors, from best material, with Pure Linseed Oil, for 75 cents to $1.20 per gallon.

Respectfully Yours &c.,
apr. 15-6m HENRY S. REAV.

ROUND ABOUT ROARINGCREEK.

The Johnson festival of July 2nd, realized nearly $100.

Quarterly conference at the Roaringcreek M. E. church next Saturday and Sunday.

Recently the L. and R. Sunday school had an organ put in for their use.

Farmers hereabouts are experiencing considerable difficulty in obtaining help to make hay and harvest grain.

The *gress* proceeds of the Catawissa M. E. circuit picnic and festival at McIntyre on the 4th inst., somewhat exceeded $200.

There was church in the Friends' meeting house near here, First Day morning, June 26th.

Our friend, Mr. C. W. Stine, is making considerable improvement on his dwelling and also about his farm generally.

Mr. Christian Small had a runaway while returning from taking a load of hay to market on Friday last, with almost a ruined wagon, the horses pretty well skinned, and himself severely bruised in various parts of his limbs.

NEOPHYTE.

The famous mare Maud S. trotted a mile in Pittsburg on Wednesday in 2.10½—the fastest on record.

John W. Brookwalter was nominated for Governor of Ohio, by the Democratic State Convention on Wednesday.

Business Notices

Ladies' Dusters and Linen Suits for $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.50 to $2.75 for sale at Light Street by Silas Young. jul06w

An endless variety of Straw Hats
Clearing out very cheap at
David Lowenberg's.

Reaper and Mower Knives, Knife Sections and Rivets of all kinds, Stoves, Ranges, Tinware, Salt, Phosphate, &c., for sale low at Sharpless' foundry. june24-4w

A full assortment of Neck Wear for gentlemen at F. D. Dentler's.

Navy Blue Suits,
Navy Blue Pants. A full line
at David Lowenbergs.

1,000 good live Calves wanted. Let them come from the north, south, east and west, by wholesale and retail. You can bring your good Calves right along now any time on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of each and every week and get your cash or goods for them at Silas Young's, Light Street. july 15-6m

Lilley & Sleppy will pay cash or merchandise for calves, lambs and chickens and all country produce. Try them and learn their prices before selling elsewhere.

White Vests, Dusters, Linen Pants,
A large line of Summer Goods
at David Lowenberg's.

See a woman picking a bunch of grapes in another column, at Speer's Vineyards, from which Speer's Port Grape Wine is made, that is so highly esteemed by the medical profession for the use of invalids, weakly persons and the aged. Sold by C. A. Kleim. jan 7'81 1y

Parasols from 10 cents up to $4.00 at Light Street, by Silas Young. june 10-4w

For a Fine Dress Shirt,
For a Fine Fancy Shirt go to
David Lowenberg's.

4,000 pounds of nice Pitted Cherries, 4,000 pounds of nice Dried Raspberries wanted by Silas Young at Light Street, for which he will pay the highest market price. july 15 6m

The season for repairing your Mowers, Reapers, Threshing Machines and other farming implements is at hand, and the place to have repairing done is at HARMAN & HASSERT'S Foundry and Machine Shop. This is the only place in the county where D. M. Osborne & Co's. machines are repaired. A full line of extras for all the leading mowers, reapers, &c., kept constantly on hand. May 20-tw

For Fine Shoes of all kinds, go to Dentler's.

The best are the cheapest—buy your Boots and Shoes of Dentler,

10,000 good Spring Chickens wanted. Bring them right along now and get your cash or goods for them at Silas Young's, Light Street. july 15 2m

When in the course of human events it becomes necessary to purchase Clothing, for a bargain go to David Lowenberg's and you will get full value for your money.

Mr. D. W. Smith, of Limestoneville, Montour county, says he has used an "Osborne" Self-binder since 1879; has cut 160 acres; been at no expense for repairs; has cut oats that were as badly down and tangled as it was possible to be, and will wager the price of the machine that he can cut any grain that it is possible to cut with any machine, and bind it tighter and better than can be done by hand. T. W. Pursel, near Buck Horn, says the "Osborne" Self binder bought last year, "fills the bill" and does all that is claimed for it.

P. E. Maus, near Danville, says he cut the worst tangled oats he ever saw, last year, with the "Osborne," and cannot speak too highly in its praise.

HARMAN & HASSERT, Agents,
june 10 Bloomsburg, Pa.

A DANGEROUS COUNTERFEIT.

There is a dangerous counterfeit in circulation, purporting to be "Walnut Leaf Hair Restorer." The strongest evidence of the great value of "Walnut Leaf Hair Restorer" is the fact that parties knowing its efficacy try to imitate it. Each bottle of the genuine has a "fac simile" of the signature of "D. E. Becker"—the manufacturer—blown in the glass; and the "Restorer" is as clear and harmless as water, while it possesses all the component properties necessary to restore life, vigor, growth, and color to the hair. Purchase only from responsible parties. Each bottle warranted. C. N. Crittenton, New York City, Wholesale Agent. oct. 22, 80-tf

MARKET REPORTS

BLOOMSBURG MARKET.

Wheat per bushel	$1.00
Rye " "	.61
Corn, " "	.50
Oats, " "	.40
Flour per barrel	6.00
Cloverseed "	6.50
Butter	.16
Eggs	.15
Tallow	.06
Potatoes	.50
Dried Apples	.03
Hams	12c
Sides & Shoulders	.09
Chickens	.18
Turkeys	.10
Lard per pound	.10
Hay per ton	8.00
Beeswax	.25

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Itching and Scaly Diseases, Humors of the Scalp and Skin Permanently Cured.

RINGWORM.

Geo. W. Brown, 48 Marshall St., Providence, R. I., cured by Cuticura Remedies of a Ringworm Humor got at the barber's, which spread all over his ears, neck and face, and for six years resisted all kinds of treatment.

SKIN HUMOR.

F. H. Drake, Esq., agent for Harper & Bros., Detroit, Mich., gives an astonishing account of his case (eczema rodent), which had been treated by a consultation of physicians without benefit, and which speedily yielded to the Cuticura Resolvent internally and Cuticura Soap externally.

SCALD HEAD.

H. A. Raymond, Auditor P. W. J. & S. R. R., Jackson, Mich., was cured of Scald Head of nine years' duration by the Cuticura Remedies.

ECZEMA.

Hon. Wm. Taylor, Boston, Mass., permanently cured of a humor of the face and scalp (eczema) that had been treated unsuccessfully for twelve years by many of Boston's best physicians and most noted specialists, as well as European authorities.

MILK CRUST.

Mrs. Bowers, 143 Clinton St., Cincinnati, speaks of her sister's child, who was cured of milk crust which resisted all remedies for two years. Now a fine, healthy boy, with a beautiful head of hair.

FALLING HAIR.

Frank A. Bean, Steam Fire Engine 6, Boston, was cured of alopecia, or falling of the hair, by the Cuticura Resolvent internally and Cuticura and Cuticura Soap externally, which completely restored his hair when all said he would lose it.

Thomas Lee, 2236 Frankford Av., Philadelphia, afflicted with dandruff, which for twenty years had covered his scalp with scales one-quarter of an inch in thickness, cured by Cuticura Remedies.

TREATMENT.

The Cuticura Treatment is the internal use of the Cuticura Resolvent, the new Blood purifier, and the external use of Cuticura and Cuticura Soap, the Great Skin Cures.

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BRIDGE LETTING.

Will be let at Esther Furnace Bridge, Locust township, on Saturday, the 16th day of July, 1881, a bridge to be erected over Roaringcreek, near Esther Furnace. To be a wooden brace covered bridge 92 feet long between abutments 16 feet from out to out at top of abutments and to be 8½ feet above low water mark. Abutments to be rebuilt and stone pier in centre.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Commissioners' office or on day of letting at the bridge.

STEPHEN POHE, CHARLES REICHART, A. E. HERRING, } Commissioners of Columbia Co.

july 8-2w

ORPHANS' COURT SALE
OF VALUABLE
Real Estate!

By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Peter Michael, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises in Mifflin township, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6TH, 1881,

at ten o'clock a. m., the following described real estate, to-wit:

A certain messuage and TRACT of LAND situate in said Mifflin township, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the west and north by lands of Peter Michael, on the east by lands of John Hoofnagle and on the west by lands of George Nungesser, containing

Twenty-nine Acres

more or less, with the appurtenances, whereon are erected a

LOG HOUSE, BARN,

and out-buildings; excepting and reserving however, the crops now growing upon the premises.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of the one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property; the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation of sale, and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter with interest from confirmation nisi.

JOHN MICHAEL,
July 8-ts Administrator.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between J. H. Kesty and Jonathan Bachman, as brick layers and contractors, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

J. H. KESTY.
JONATHAN BACHMAN.

Bloomsburg, June 24, 1881.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF HIRAM R. KLINE, DECEASED.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Hiram R. Kline, late of Orange township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to J. Howard Kline, of Orangeville, administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned Administrator, without delay.

J. HOWARD KLINE,
Administrator,
C. W. MILLER, Att'y. Orangeville, Pa.
june 17-6w

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN SANDS, DECEASED.

Letters testamentary on the estate of John Sands, late of Greenwood twp., Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to D. K. Sloan, of Orangeville, executor. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrator, without delay.

D. K. SLOAN,
Executor,
C. W. MILLER, Att'y. Orangeville, Pa.
June 24-6w

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN EYELAND, DECEASED.

The undersigned, Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to make distribution of the fund in the hands of the administrator of the estate of said decedent, to and among parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg, on Saturday, July 23rd, inst, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all parties interested in said fund must appear and present their claims or be forever debarred from any share of said fund.

C. W. MILLER,
June 24-4w. Auditor

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HOLMES & SCHUYLER.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania, at two o'clock, p. m. on

SATURDAY, JULY 23rd, 1881.

All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land being and situate in Locust township Columbia county, and State of Pennsylvania, described as follows: On the north by land of Peter Bitner's estate and George Rupp's estate, and on the west by land belonging to David Zimmerman and on the south by lands of Jonas and George Rupp and on the east by lands belonging to the estate of Peter Bitner, deceased, containing about one hundred and six acres, be the same more or less, it being part of same tract of land which the Grants—George Grant, William Grant and Deborah Grant, executors of Thomas Grant deceased, late of Augusta township, Northumberland county, and State of Pennsylvania, by their indenture dated the sixth day of May, 1825, granted and conveyed to Jacob Fisher and Caleb Fisher and the said Caleb Fisher and Sarah his wife by their indenture dated the ninth day of May, A. D. 1849, granted and conveyed their said interest in the above described land to Jacob Fisher party hereto, whereon is erected a two story frame dwelling house, large frame barn and out-buildings.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of J. H. Vastine vs. Alem B. Fisher and to be sold as the property of Alem B. Fisher.

PHAWN Att'y. Levari Facias.

ALSO.

All that certain messuage and tenement or tract of land situate in Locust township Columbia county, and State of Pennsylvania bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Begining at a stone in the public road leading from Slabtown to Mainville running thence by land of Solomon Strausser and William Adams north thirty-eight degrees, west eighty-four and five-tenths perches to a stone, thence by land of George Strausser south seventy-six degrees, west sixty-two perches to a stone, thence by land of Lewis Bunge south eight degrees, west thirty and five-tenth perches to a stone, thence by the same south thirty degrees, east one hundred and three perches to a stone, thence by the same south fifty-three degrees, west three perches to a stone, thence by land of Solomon Strausser south fifty-eight degrees east sixty-eight perches to a stone in the centre of the public road leading from Slabtown to Mainville, thence in said road and by land of Solomon Strausser north twenty decrees, east nineteen perches to a stone, thence in and by the same north five degrees, east sixty-eight perches to the place of beginning, containing sixty-two acres strict measure, whereon are erected a two story frame dwelling house, frame barn and out-buildings.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of David Helwig, executor of Peter Helwig, deceased, versus Isaac Lewis and to be sold as the property of Isaac Lewis with notice to John Adams, terre tenant.

RHAWN, Att'y. Pluries Levari Facias.

ALSO.

All that certain lot or piece of land situate in Fishingcreek township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to-wit: Beginning at a post in the public road leading from Orangeville to Stillwater, thence by land belonging to Isaac McHenry, north eighty-one and a half degrees, east one hundred and sixty-five feet to a post, thence by lands of Wm. Ikeler south eighty and a half degrees, east eighty two feet to a post, thence by land of Cyrus B. White south eighty-one and a half degrees, west one hundred and sixty-five feet to a post in the road, thence by said road north eighty and a half degrees, west eighty-two feet to the place of beginning containing forty-nine and seven tenth perches of ground be the same more or less, on which are erected a dwelling house and out-buildings.

ALSO,

One other lot or piece of land situated in the township, county and state aforesaid bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone corner by a lot of said Ash, thence by land of Wm. Ikeler north eighty-three degrees, east twenty-four perches to a post, thence by land of John Zaner south thirty nine and a half degrees, west seven and two-tenths perches to a post, thence by land of Hiram Depoe, south eighty-three degrees, west nineteen perches to a stone, thence north six degrees, east four and nine tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and seven perches more or less, on which are erected a work shop and outbuildings.

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Ants as Fruit Growers' Friends.

Many of the leading orchard proprietors in Northern Italy and Southern Germany are cultivators of the common black ant, which insect they hold in high esteem as the fruit growers' best friend. They establish ant hills in their orchards, and leave the police service of their fruit trees entirely to the tiny colonists, which pass all their time in climbing up the stems of the fruit trees, cleansing their leaves and their boughs of malefactors, mature as well as embryotic, and descending laden with spoils to the ground, where they comfortably consume, or prudently store away their booty. They never meddle with sound fruit, but only invade such apples, pears and plums as have already been penetrated by the canker, which they remorselessly pursue to its fastnesses within the very heart of the fruit. Nowhere are apple and pear trees so free from blight and destructive insects as in the immediate neighborhood of a large ant hill, five or six years old. The favorite food of ants would appear to be the larvæ and pupæ of those creatures which would spend the whole of their brief existence in devouring the tender shoots and juvenile leaves of fruit trees.—*Prairie Farmer.*

Healing of Wounds in Horses and Cows.

To produce healing of a wound in a horse or a cow, some stimulant is nearly always required. This may be common spirits of turpentine, or the compound tincture of benzoin or that of myrrh and aloes. Either of these may be applied with a feather once a day, or if the wound is deep, the stimulant should be injected to the bottom with a common squirt can, or a syringe. Wounds should always heal from the bottom, and to secure this the opening should be kept free, by means of a plug of lint dipped in the stimulant used. Lint may be made by scraping a piece of linen cloth such as a towel, with a knife and collecting the loose fibers. Linen only should be used, and never cotton or wool for this purpose. If pus is inclosed in a wound and the opening is permitted to close, an abscess will be formed, or the pus will be absorbed, with some future ill effect. In the case of deep, punctured wounds careful search should be made for the possible presence of splinters or other foreign bodies and to enlarge the opening will often facilitate the search or assist in the ultimate healing.

Pure Water.

As the summer time is the best time for well digging, the following from the report of the Massachusetts Board of Health will be of interest: "As a rule, a well receives drainage from a superficial circular area whose diameter is from one to three times the depth of the well, varying with the character of the soil. On this principle, no well thirty feet deep should have a privy, pig pen, barn yard or cess pool within fifty feet of it in any direction, nor should any slops of the house or refuse any kind be thrown upon the surface of the ground within the area of this circle." How many farms are there on which this principle is not violated? It is not a sufficient reply to say that the family have drank from such wells with impunity for a score of years. It must be remembered that when the wells were first dug the water was pure, but the ground has been gradually impregnated with foul matter, which, if it has not already permeated the water, will finally reach and contaminate it. After a fatal case of typhoid fever it will be too late to resort to a crystal spring."

Ears.

Large ears can hear things in general and denote broad, comprehensive views and modes of thought, while small ears hear things in particular, showing a disposition to individualize, often accompanied by love of the minute. Large ears are usually satisfied with learning the facts of the case, the general principles involved—too strict an attention to the enumeration of details, especially all repetition of the more unimportant, is wearisome to them. People with such ears like generally, and are usually well fitted, to conduct large enterprises, to receive and pay out large sums; in buying or selling would prefer to leave a margin rather than reduce the quantity of any sort to the exact dimensions of the measure specified, and in giving would prefer to give with free hand and without too strict a calculation as to the exact amount. Small ears, on the contrary, desire to know the particulars of a story as well as the main facts; take delight often in examining, handling or constructing tiny specimens of workmanship; are disposed to be exact with respect to inches and ounces in buying or selling to the exact number over or under the stated measure given or received. People with such ears would in the most cases prefer a retail to a wholesale business.

HAY FEVER.

Messrs. Ely Bros., druggists, Owego, N. Y.—I have been afflicted for twenty years, during the months of August and September, with Hay Fever, and have tried various remedies for its relief without success. I was induced to try your Cream Balm; have used it with favorable results, and can confidently recommend it to all similarly afflicted. Robert W. Townley, (ex Mayor,) Elizabeth, N. J.

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SEARLY A MIRACLE.

E. Asenith Hall, Binghamton, N. Y., writes: "I suffered for several months with a pain through left side and shoulders. I lost my spirits and appetite and color, and could with difficulty keep up all day. My mother procured some Burdock Blood Bitters; I took them as directed, and have felt no pain since first week after using them, and am now quite well. Price $1.00, trial size 10 cents.

A Pair of Georgia Yarns.

A perfectly responsible gentleman tells us the following: "The late Mr. Isaac Thornton, of this county owned an old negro named Ike, who could walk the bed of a stream with as much ease as on land. He would carry a couple of large stones in each hand to weigh him down, and, fearlessly wading into the river, pass across by walking on the bottom, it mattered not how deep the water." Our informant says he frequently crossed Broad river thus.

Mr. M. B. McGinty, of Athens, owns a pair of horses that can understand everything the driver says to them. He never carries a whip, but governs them by words. If one of the pair fails to do its duty the driver simply calls it by name, stating that when they get to the stable punishment will be inflicted. A gentleman tells us that the animal at once shows its understanding of the threat by trembling in every limb, and is frightened nearly to death when the time arrives for its chastisement. Several clear instances are recorded to show that these horses possess a remarkable understanding of language.

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There are times in every one's life when energy fails and a miserable feeling comes over them, often mistaken for laziness. Danger lurks in these symptoms, as they arise from impure blood or diseased organs. Medical advice is expensive and often unsatisfactory. Parker's Ginger Tonic will renew your lease of health and comfort because it restores perfect activity to the stomach, liver and kidneys, and purifies the blood, as men and women restored to robust health testify in almost every neighborhood. See advertisement.—*Advocate.*

A Hen Captures an Owl.

Frank Davis has in a cage at his drug store in the village of South Butler, N. Y., a fine specimen of a large cat-owl, which was captured in this way: At the barnyard of the Douglas farm, half a mile south of the village, a hen and chickens were housed, with one edge of the coop propped up with a corn-cob standing under it. They were discovered by the owl in his nocturnal pursuit of a supper. Of course he entered the coop, with the view of taking one of the young birds, and of course found himself immediately in conflict with the old hen, and in the melee the chickens all escaped, and she then made her exit, taking away the cob that propped up the coop, and leaving Mr. Owl in solitary confinement.

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Corning, N. Y., January 6, '81.

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Truly Yours, E. S. BARNES.

STILL AHEAD.

Rochester, N. H., Dec. 10, '80.

Messrs. Morris & Ireland:

Dear Sirs:—In the disastrous fire which took place in this town Nov. 20, the Morris and Ireland safe in my store was subjected to a severe test, being thrown into the cellar and a huge mass of debris fell upon it, and it was in the ruins some two days. I take pleasure in informing you that upon excavation it was opened without trouble and the contents were found to be undisturbed. I cheerfully recommend your safes and should I want another I should certainly purchase one from you.

Yours truly, C. W. HOWE.

STILL ANOTHER.

From the Great Fire in Troy, New York.

Troy, N. Y., December 11, 1879.

Messrs. Morris & Ireland, Boston:

Gentlemen:—After witnessing the charred books out of the safes' grave, also one of my own which was another's case, which was not in the heat of the fire like the No. 6 lately purchased of you, which was in the fire over forty-eight hours, and had to be continually played on during Monday night, as it was completely surrounded with burning residues and other inflammable material, on opening it in the ruins Tuesday afternoon, I was pleased to find the contents, books, papers and money were all preserved in a remarkably good condition. With this proof of the fire qualities of your safe we have given your agent an order for one No. 8 safe.

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Alexander H. Rice.

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BUT THE SAME RESULT.

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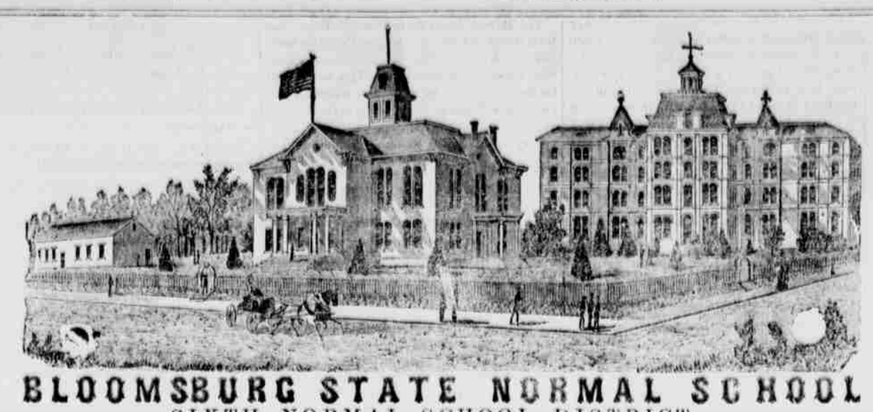

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RAIL ROAD TIME TABLES

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD. PHILADELPHIA & ERIE R. R. DIVISION.

SUMMER TIME TABLE.

On and after Sunday, June 12, 1881, the trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad Division will run as follows:

WESTWARD.

Erie Mail leaves	Philadelphia	11 55 p m
" "	Harrisburg	4 55 a m
" "	William Port	8 40 a m
" "	Jersey Shore	9 09 a m
" "	Lock Haven	9 44 a m
" "	Renovo	11 05 a m
"	arrive at Erie	7 45 p m
Niagara Express leaves	Philadelphia	9 00 a m
" "	Harrisburg	12 45 p m
"	arr. at Williamsport	5 15 p m
"	Lock Haven	5 50 p m
"	Renovo	6 30 p m
"	Kane	10 45 p m
Fast Line leaves	Philadelphia	12 10 p m
"	Harrisburg	4 10 p m
"	arrive at Williamsport	7 55 p m
"	Lock Haven	9 10 p m

EASTWARD.

Pacific Express leaves	Lock Haven	7 05 a m
" "	Jersey Shore	7 57 a m
" "	Williamsport	8 50 a m
"	arrive at Harrisburg	12 05 p m
" "	Philadelphia	3 20 p m
" "	Kane	6 00 a m
Day Express leaves	Renovo	10 50 a m
" "	Lock Haven	11 35 a m
" "	Williamsport	12 25 p m
"	arrive at Harrisburg	5 30 p m
" "	Philadelphia	6 45 p m
" "	Erie	11 35 a m
Erie Mail leaves	Renovo	2 20 p m
" "	Lock Haven	3 10 p m
" "	Williamsport	4 25 p m
"	arrive at Harrisburg	8 00 p m
" "	Philadelphia	3 00 a m
" "	Erie	7 35 a m

Erie Mail and Fast Line west and Pacific Express East make close connections at Northumberland with L. & B. R. R. trains for Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

Erie Mail West, Niagara Express West and Pacific Line West make close connection at Williamsport with N. C. R. W. trains north.

Niagara Express West and Day Express East make close connection at Lock Haven with B. R. V. R. R. trains.

Erie Mail east and West connect at Erie with trains on L. S. & M. S. R. R.; at Corry with O. C. & A. & W. R. R.; at Emporium with B. N. Y. & P. R. R. and at Driftwood with A. V. R. R.

Parlor cars will run between Philadelphia and Williamsport on Niagara Express west, and Day Express east. Sleeping cars on all night trains.

WM. A. BALDWIN,
General Supt.

NORTHERN CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY.

On and after January 17th, 1881, trains will leave Sunbury as follows:

NORTHWARD.

Northern Express	6.30 a. m., arrive Elmira	12.30 p m
	Arrive at Canandaigua	3.25 p. m.
	" Rochester	4.40 "
	" Niagara,	8 45 "
Niagara Express	1.05 p. m. arrive Elmira	6.05 p m
	arrive Canandaigua	8.35 "
	" Rochester	9 45 "
	" Niagara	12.50 a m
Fast line	6.10 p m arrive Elmira	11.05 p m
	" Watkins	11.55 p m

SOUTHWARD.

Southern Express	1.30 a. m. arrive Harrisb'g	3.15 a m
	arrive Philadelphia	7.35 "
	" New York	10.55 "
	" Baltimore	7.40
	" Washington	9.02 a m
Pacific Express	10.00 a m arrive Harrisb'g	12.05 p m
	arrive Philadelphia	3.45 p m
	" New York	6.55 "
	" Baltimore	6.20
	" Washington	7.52
Day Express	1.50 p m arrive Harrisburg	5.40 p m
	" Philadelphia	6.45 "
	" New York	9.30 "
	" Baltimore	6.25
	" Washington	7.52
Erie Mail	1.05 a. m. arrive Harrisburg	3.05 a. m
	" Philadelphia	7.35 "
	" New York	10.55 "
	" Baltimore	7.40
	" Washington	9.02

L. P. FARMER, General Passenger Agent.

FRANK THOMSON, General Manager.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING ROAD

ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

May 30, 1881.

TRAINS LEAVE RUPERT AS FOLLOWS (SUNDAY EXCEPTED)

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading, Pottsville Tamaqua, &c., 11,45 a. m

For Catawissa, 11,45 a. m. 7,50 and 6,46 p. m.

For Williamsport, 6,15 8,50 a. m. and 4,06 p. m.

TRAINS FOR RUPERT LEAVE AS FOLLOWS, (SUNDAY EXCEPTED.)

Leave New York, via. Tamanend 8,45 a. m. also via. Bound Brook Route 7,45 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia, 9,45 a. m.

Leave Reading, 11,55 a. m., Pottsville, 12,50 p. m and Tamaqua, 1,35 p. m.

Leave Catawissa, 6,16 8,40 a. m. and 4,00 p. m.

Leave Williamsport, 9,45 a.m, 4,00 p. m. and 4,50 p. m

Passengers to and from New York, via. Tamanend and to and from Philadelphia go through without change of cars.

J. E. WOOTTEN,
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Jan. 10, 1881—tf.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

Time-Table No. 39, Takes effect at 4:20 A. M. MONDAY, JUNE 30, 1878.

NORTH. p.m.	p.m.	a.m.	STATIONS.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m
9 30	4 12	2 46	Scranton	9 35	1 10	6 5
9 23			Belvidere		2 16	6 2
9 17		9 37	Taylorville	9 45	2 22	6 2
9 08		9 30	Lackawanna		2 30	6 1
8 58	3 51	9 24	Pittston	9 58	2 38	6 4
8 51	3 46	9 19	West Pittston		2 44	6 4
8 46	3 41	9 14	Wyoming	10 07	2 49	6 5
	12 41		Maltby		2 53	6 5
	12 36		Bennett		2 57	6 5
8 33	3 29	9 04	Kingston	10 18	3 05	7 1
8 13	3 19	8 44	Kingston	10 33	3 15	7 2
			Plymouth Junc.		3 16	7 2
8 23	3 29	8 25	Plymouth	10 29	3 15	7 2
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